# **EXHIBIT 7**

## **UNITED STATES** SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

# Form 10-Q

(Mark One)

☑ QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 For the Quarterly Period Ended September 30, 2021

☐ TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the Transition Period from Commission File Number: 000-29959

Cassava Sciences, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

91-1911336

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

7801 N. Capital of Texas Highway, Suite 260, Austin, TX 78731 (512) 501-2444 (Address, including zip code, of registrant's principal executive offices and telephone number, including area code)

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

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Title of each class	Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
mmon Stock, \$0.001 par value	SAVA	Nasdaq Capital Market
mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all	reports required to be filed b	by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the

Indicate by check preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes ☑ No □

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically every Interactive Data File required to be submitted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit such files). Yes 🗹 No 🗓

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, a smaller reporting company, or an emerging growth company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer," "smaller reporting company," and "emerging growth company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large Accelerated Filer ☐ Non-accelerated Filer ☑

Accelerated Filer □ Smaller Reporting Company ☑

Emerging Growth Company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes 🗆 No 🗹

Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer's classes of common stock, as of the latest practicable date. 40,016,792

Common Stock, \$0.001 par value

Shares Outstanding as of November 10, 2021

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#### Item 3. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk

Per Item 305(e) of Regulation S-K, the information called for by this Item 3 is not required.

#### Item 4. Controls and Procedures

Evaluation of disclosure controls and procedures. Our management, with the participation of our Chief Executive Officer and our Chief Financial Officer, evaluated the effectiveness of our disclosure controls and procedures as of the end of the period covered by this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q. Based on this evaluation, our Chief Executive Officer (as Principal Executive Officer) and our Chief Financial Officer (as Principal Financial Officer) have concluded that our disclosure controls and procedures are effective to ensure that information we are required to disclose in reports that we file or submit under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the SEC's rules and forms and that such information is accumulated and communicated to management as appropriate to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosures.

Management recognizes that any controls and procedures, no matter how well designed and operated, can provide only reasonable assurance of achieving their objectives, and management necessarily applies its judgment in evaluating the cost-benefit relationship of possible controls and procedures. Based on the evaluation of our disclosure controls and procedures as of September 30, 2021, our Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer concluded that, as of such date, our disclosure controls and procedures were effective at the reasonable assurance level.

Changes in internal control over financial reporting. There has been no change in our internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Rule 13a-15(f) under the Exchange Act) identified during the three months ended September 30, 2021 that has materially affected, or is reasonable likely to materially affect, our internal control over financial reporting.

#### PART II - OTHER INFORMATION

#### Item 1. Legal Proceedings

From time to time, we may become involved in litigation or other legal proceedings and claims, including U.S. government inquiries, investigations and citizen petitions submitted to FDA. The outcome of these proceedings is inherently uncertain. Regardless of outcome, legal proceedings can have an adverse impact on us because of defense and settlement costs, diversion of management resources, and other factors. At this time, no assessment can be made as to their likely outcome or whether the outcome will be material to us. No information is available to indicate that it is probable that a loss has been incurred or can be reasonably estimated as of the date of the condensed financial statements and, as such, no accrual for these matters has been recorded within the condensed financial statements.

#### Government Investigations

Certain government agencies have asked us to provide them with corporate information and documents. We have been cooperating and will continue to cooperate with government authorities. No government agency has informed us that any wrongdoing has occurred by any party. We cannot predict the outcome or impact of any these ongoing matters, including whether a government agency may pursue an enforcement action against us or others.

### Citizen Petitions Submitted to FDA

In August 2021, Labaton Sucharow LLP, a law firm representing anonymous clients who have a short position in our stock, submitted a Citizen Petition to the FDA (a short position allows an investor to make a financial profit from a decline in our stock price). This Citizen Petition requests that the FDA Commissioner immediately halt the clinical development of simufilam, our drug candidate for Alzheimer's disease. In September 2021, Labaton Sucharow LLP filed a supplement to their Citizen Petition, requesting that the FDA Commissioner immediately rescind previously granted Special Protocol Assessments (SPAs) for our Phase 3 clinical program with simufilam.

In October 2021, a second Citizen Petition was submitted to FDA by an individual unknown to us. This petitioner "is requesting the FDA for approval of simufilam and immediate initiation of Phase 4 trials for further efficacy, safety assessment and, most critically, to address one of the greatest needs in modern medicine."

### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

Cassava Sciences, Inc.

(Registrant)

/s/ REMI BARBIER

Remi Barbier,

Chairman of the Board of Directors, President and Chief Executive Officer

(Principal Executive Officer) /s/ ERIC J. SCHOEN

Eric J. Schoen,

Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)

Date: November 15, 2021

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